

**SUPERIOR COURT**

<b>Trial Activity Fiscal Year 2005 - Civil Trials</b>						
	Number of Jury Trials	Number of Non-Jury Trials	Number of Special Jury Trials	Total Number of Trials	Total Trial Days	Average Number of Days Per Trial
New Castle County	87	11	0	98	298 days	3.04 days
Kent County	14	1	0	15	46 days	3.07 days
Sussex County	6	6	0	12	22 days	1.83 days
<b>State</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>366 days</b>	<b>2.93 days</b>

<b>Calendar Activity Fiscal Year 2005 - Civil Cases</b>											
	Cases Tried		Cases Settled or Dismissed		Cases Continued for Settlement		Cases Continued Due to Lack of Judge		Cases Continued at Request of Attorney		Total Cases Scheduled
New Castle County	98	9.7%	670	66.6%	40	4.0%	3	0.3%	195	19.4%	1006
Kent County	15	4.9%	170	55.0%	7	2.3%	19	6.1%	98	31.7%	309
Sussex County	12	5.0%	135	56.3%	9	3.8%	3	1.3%	81	33.8%	240
<b>State</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>8.0%</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>62.7%</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>24.1%</b>	<b>1,555</b>

<b>Performance Summary Fiscal Year 2005 - Civil Cases</b>							
COMPLAINTS			MECHANIC'S LIENS AND MORTGAGES			APPEALS	
	Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition		Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition	Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition
New Castle County	3,755	615.4 days		1,819	165.8 days	145	269.3 days
Kent County	587	359.6 days		402	208.2 days	50	288.9 days
Sussex County	384	556.1 days		414	197.9 days	29	381.1 days
<b>State</b>	<b>4,726</b>	<b>578.8 days</b>		<b>2,635</b>	<b>177.3 days</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>288.1 days</b>
INVOLUNTARY COMMITMENTS			MISCELLANEOUS			TOTAL	
	Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition		Number of Dispositions	Average Time from Filing to Disposition	Number of Dispositions	Average Time From Filing to Disposition
New Castle County	1,239	98.4 days		1,580	71.4 days	8,538	338.0 days
Kent County	128	92.4 days		230	52.8 days	1,397	243.0 days
Sussex County	0	0.0 days		368	65.3 days	1,195	278.4 days
<b>State</b>	<b>1,367</b>	<b>97.9 days</b>		<b>2,178</b>	<b>68.4 days</b>	<b>11,130</b>	<b>319.7 days</b>

Source: Prothonotary's Offices, Superior Court; Administrative Office of the Courts